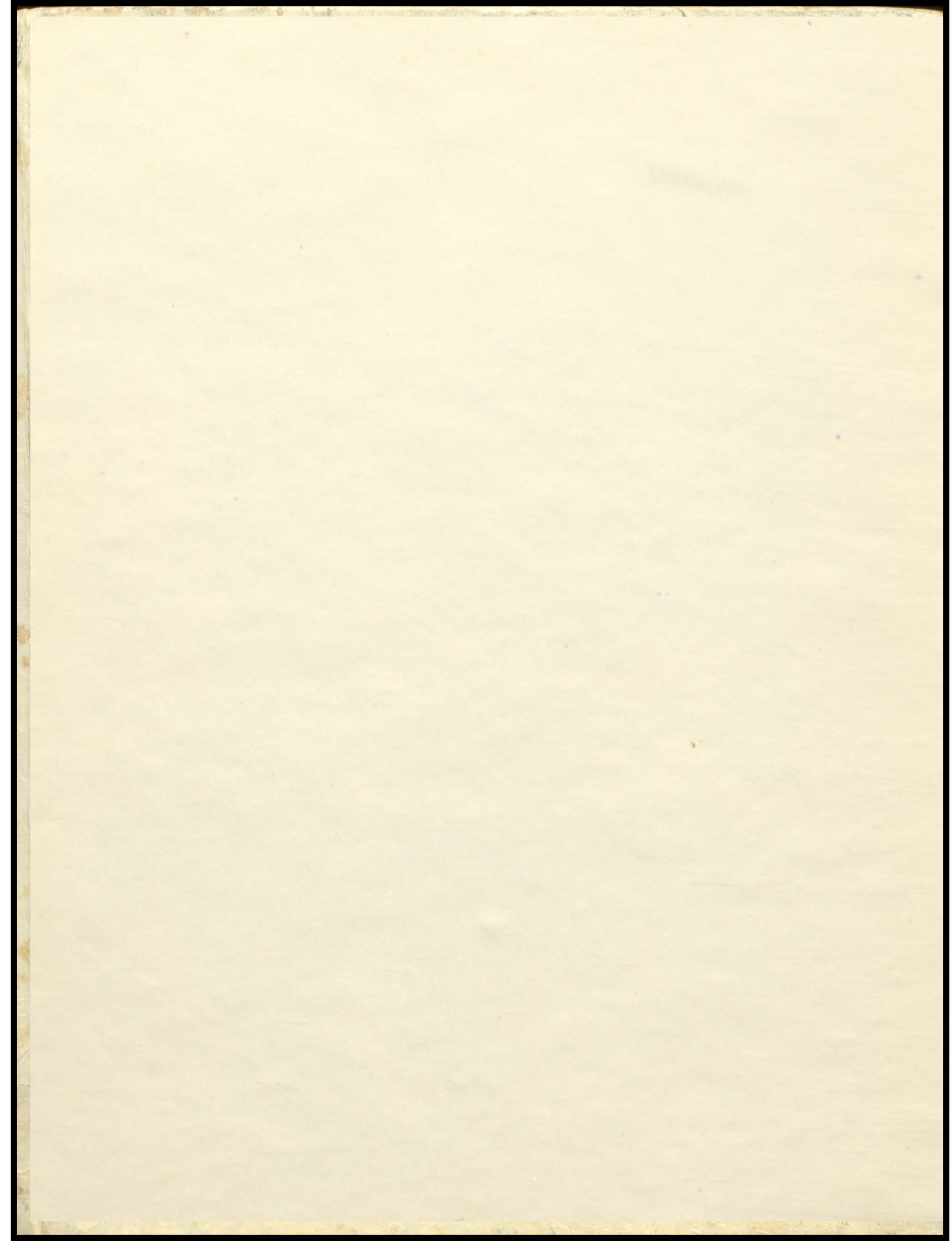
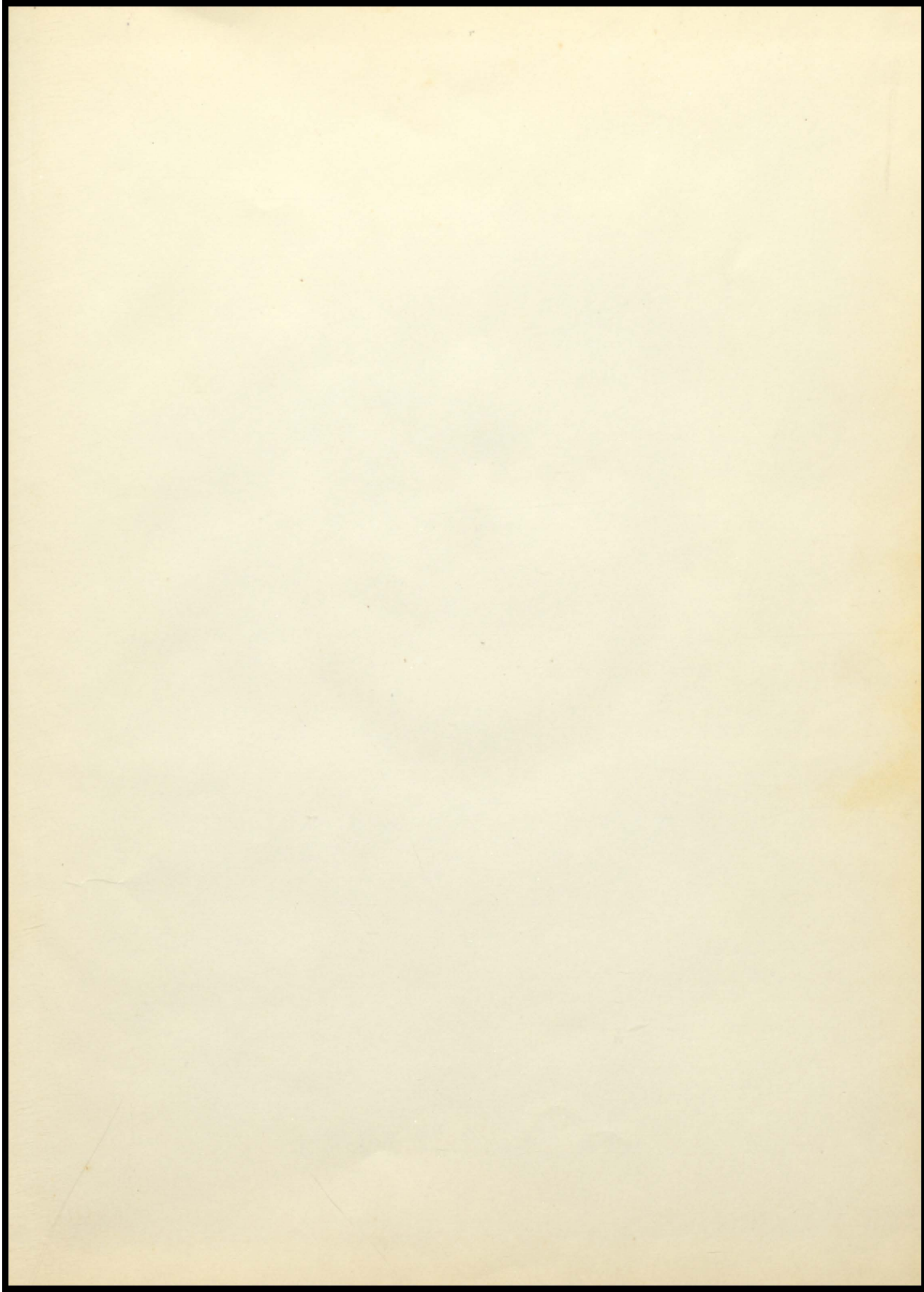


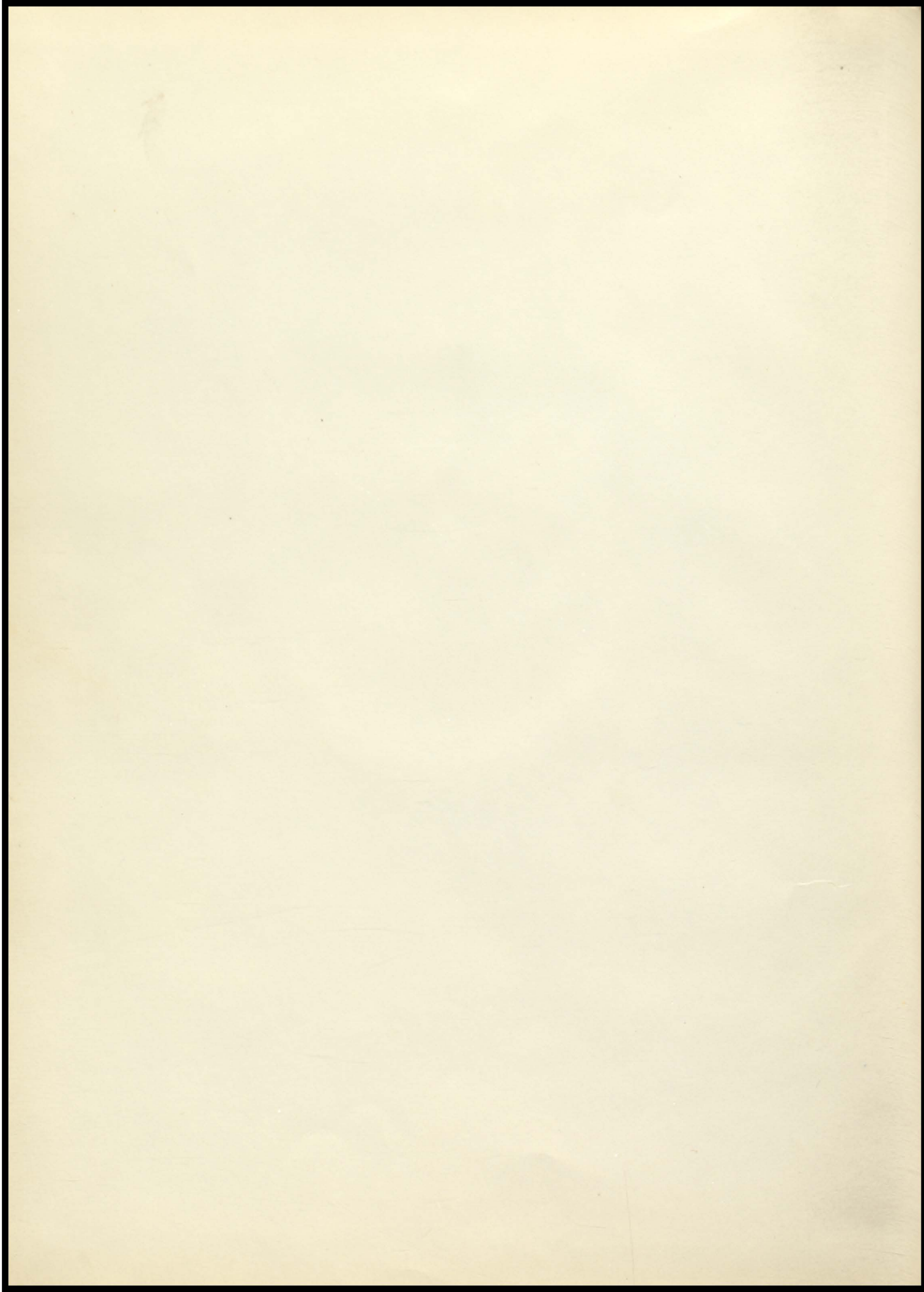


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Superintendent of Schools
A.B. Nebraska Central College
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Educational Institution



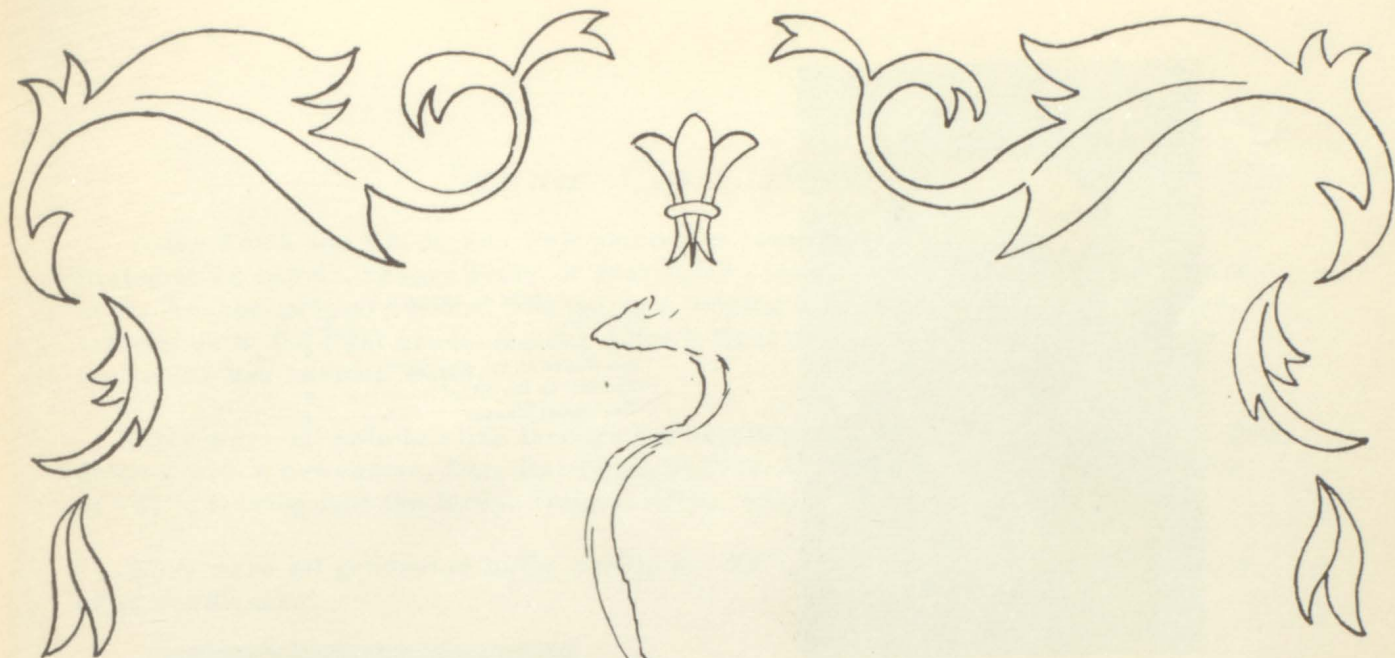
ELNORA N. BASS
Principal, High School
A.B. Cotner College
Further study, K.S.T.C.
and Nebraska Central College



BONNIE SCHARVIN BLAUHORN
Instructor, Grades 5-8
A.B. Nebraska Central College



HENRIETTA BOELTS
Instructor, Grades K-4
Attended Nebraska Central College



GRADUATES





JAMES R. MOORE
 Basketball - - - - -1-2-3-4
 Class Secretary - - - - -4
 "All Carrs to the Rescue" - - - -3
 "Feudin' in the Hills" - - - -3
 "The Ghost Chaser" - - - -4



ALICE M. FOULK
 Class President - - - - -4
 Cheerleader, Pep Club - - - -4
 "All Carrs to the Rescue" - - - -3
 "Feudin' in the Hills" - - - -3
 "One Minute of Twelve" - - - -4
 "The Ghost Chaser" - - - -4
 Dramatics - - - - -1



RHODA VERA VAN PELT
 Class Vice-President - - - - -4
 Cheerleader, Pep Club - - - -4
 "All Carrs to the Rescue" - - - -3
 "Feudin' in the Hills" - - - -3
 "One Minute of Twelve" - - - -4
 "The Ghost Chaser" - - - -4

Senior Class History

Alice Foulk and Rhoda Van Pelt started to country grade schools in 1937, Districts 28 and 43, respectively. A year later Jimmy Moore put in his appearance at the Archer primary room. The teacher, hoping to hurry him through her room, set him up to the first grade. During Alice's first year, she moved to District 14, where she has resided since.

They were all able to slide through the eighth grade and then entered Archer High School, with a newcomer, Dale Rawlings, in 1946. Dale moved to Iowa in the spring of '47', leaving just the three, Jimmy, Alice, and Rhoda.

They were all graduated in the spring of '50', leaving behind them the turmoil of an earthquake.

Senior Class Will

We, the seniors of 1950, of Archer High School, in Merick County, Nebraska, being of sound mind and body, do hereby will and bequeath the following to the persons specified:

To Ralph, we will the ability to keep his book open during class.

Jim wills to Patsy one of his wart scabs so she will have something besides her pencil to chew on during class.

So that she won't get lost when she's out hunting coyotes, we will to Henrietta, a compass.

Rhoda wills to Barbara her ability to get in by 12 o'clock.

The seniors will to Don Bannister, Mr. Zichek's back curtain of his English Ford so he and Alice W. can have some privacy.

To trees we will the ability to dodge Mrs. Blauhorn.

Alice wills to Keith a pocket-size edition of encyclopedias, so he won't have to spend so much time running out of class to look things up.

We will to Ruthie, a man, that "had a car like that".

To Roger we will the ability to tell the difference between grass and gladiolas.

The seniors will Glenn a telephone so the girls from Palmer can let him know that Don Bannister didn't show up.

To Jessie we will a "slip" from one of Mr. Zichek's wife's mother's beautiful red flowered geraniums.

The ability to write his own love letters, we will to Bill Luebbe.

Jim wills to Merle his ability to catch the girls. (Providing they're crippled.)

We will to Joanne, the job of setting up pins in the bowling alley.

To Shirley we will the ability to turn handsprings.

A cracker box goes to Mr. Zichek to keep the "runt" (English Ford) in overnight so it will always start on cold mornings.

Rhoda wills a pup to Mrs. Bass to take the place of C. B. when he's gone. P. S. Be sure to place your order early.

To Shannon, we will a tenth of the senior's wisdom.

Senior Class Prophecy

This is an eventful night, as it is the first reunion of the Archer graduating class of 1950. This all takes place in the gymnasium in Archer. This class had promised to meet ten years from the time of their graduation, and here it is 1960, with all present.

First, let us interview the teachers of this class. The former Mrs. Bass is now in California, where she and her husband are running a boarding house.

Mr. Zichek is the head director of the big hits on Broadway. Getting sort of old for such active work, isn't he?

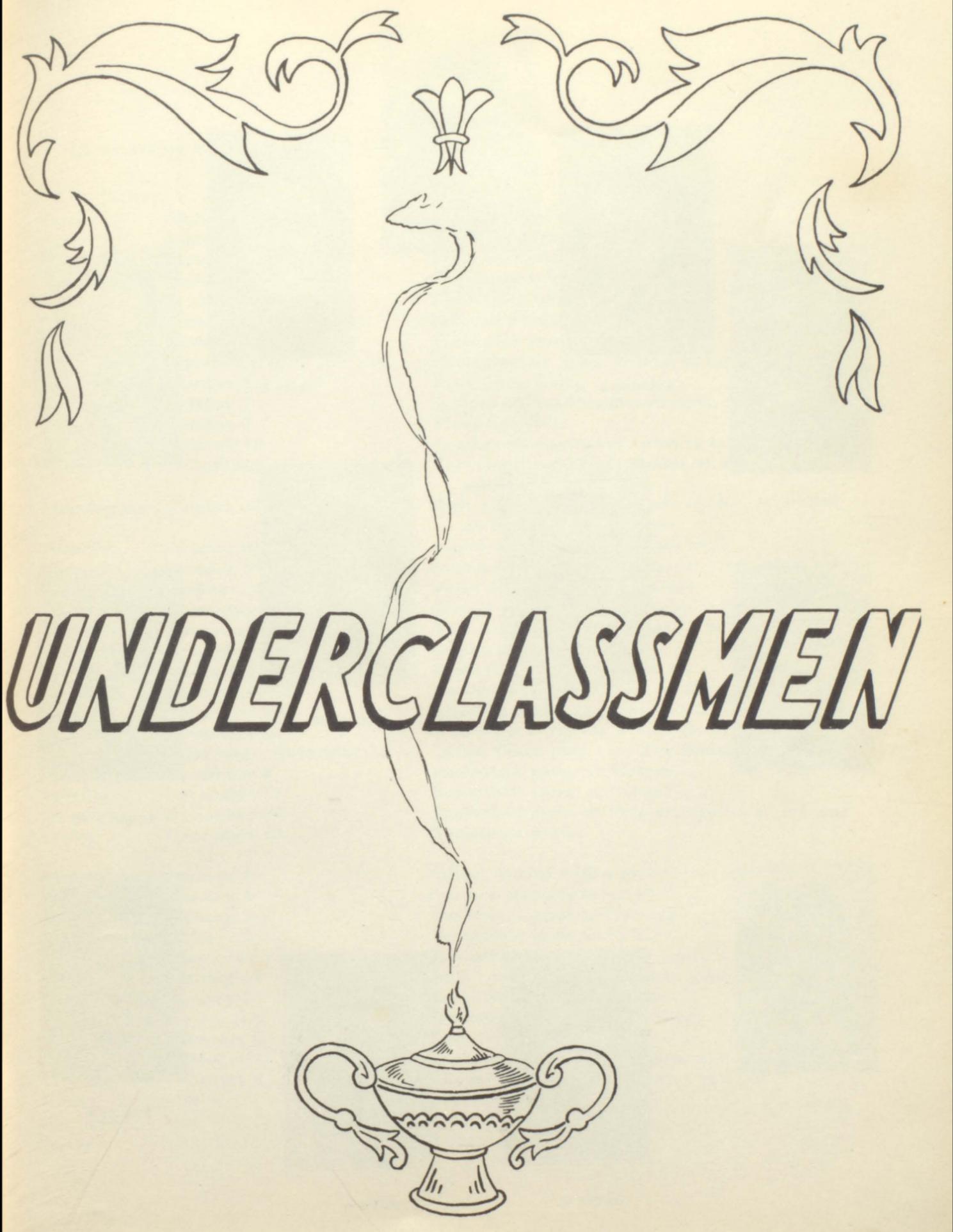
Jim Moore, the only senior boy of 1950, is employed by the Ajax Lumber Company of New York City. His boss is his (Jim's) former teacher and great pal, known to many as Jumbo Jim, who is still stuck on Italy. Jim is still single and is a well-known playboy, a regular casanova. Jim's present flame is Joan of Arc (a movie starlet) who is a recent girl friend of his employer. Jim tells us that he hates all athletics, and someday hopes to write a book on bugs. Being well informed on this subject, we are sure that this will be a good book.

Rhoda is a ballet dancer and quite distinguished in this field. Her graceful dancing has dazzled many, and is truly beautiful. She tells us as a secret that she is madly in love with her ballet instructor and voice trainer, who is Monsieur Bass. Miss Van Pelt, we hear, has been offered a chance to make a movie as the dancing partner of Fred Astaire and an understudy for Margaret Truman. Rhoda tells us that she has not decided yet whether or not she will accept this offer as she hates to think of leaving her great lover.

Alice, we found out, is a cowgirl. She punches cows along with the best of cowboys on her husband's ranch, which is known far and wide as the Hartford Double H. She got her start riding horses on the Van Pelt farm near Archer. She has often entered in rodeo events and has taken several blue ribbons for great horsemanship. She has told us that she lulls the restless cattle to sleep singing "Ghost Riders In The Sky" and "White Coral Bells".

Well, that is all concerning the seniors of the class of ten years ago. We wish them much luck on their upward journey.

Bonnie: "So you and Carl are getting married. I thought it was a mere flirtation."
Mrs. Bass: "So did he."



UNDERCLASSMEN



KEITH F. 11



BARBARA S. 11



DONALD B. 11



JESSIE S. 11



RALPH B. 11



MERLE W. 10



GLENN S. 10



SHIRLEY M. 10



ROGER V. P. 10



JOANNE B. 9



PATSY M. 9



RUTH M. 9



BILL L. 9

Calendar

Other events happened but later than the annual had to go to press.

1949

| | | |
|------------------------|----------------|---|
| Friday | August 26 | School opened. |
| Thursday | September 1 | Farewell party for Barbara. |
| Friday | September 2 | First ball game of year. |
| Wednesday | September 7 | Freshman initiation party. |
| Friday | September 9 | Agreement to publish annuals. |
| Thursday | September 15 | Secured advertising for annuals. |
| Friday | September 16 | First play rehearsal of season. |
| Wednesday | September 28 | Photographer came to take pictures. |
| Wednesday | October 5 | Free Coca-Cola. |
| Wednesday | October 5 | Seniors ordered announcements, rings, and cards. |
| Friday | October 7 | First fire drill. |
| Monday | October 10 | Another photographer came to take pictures. |
| Wednesday and Thursday | October 12-13 | Presentation of "One Minute of Twelve"; first play of the year. |
| Saturday | October 22 | High school went to Lincoln to Nebraska-Oklahoma football game. |
| Tuesday | October 25 | Junior-Senior Hayrack Ride party. |
| Wednesday | October 26 | School out early for teachers' convention. |
| Monday | October 31 | First school pictures arrived. |
| Thursday | November 3 | Second set of school pictures arrived. |
| Thursday | November 3 | Basketball game with Cushing here. |
| Thursday | November 10 | County government day. |
| Monday | November 14 | Basketball game at Chapman. |
| Friday | November 18 | Another basketball game at Chapman. |
| Tuesday | November 22 | Attended junior class play at C. C. |
| Wednesday | November 23 | School out early for Thanksgiving. |
| Tuesday and Wednesday | November 29-30 | Junior Class play - - "The Ghost Chaser" |
| Thursday | December 8 | Basketball game at Monroe. |
| Tuesday | December 13 | Basketball game at Palmer |
| Tuesday | December 20 | Basketball game at Palmer, again. |
| Friday | December 23 | Christmas party. |

1950

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| Monday | January 2 | School opened with a picture show. |
| Tuesday | January 3 | Seniors pictures taken at G. I. |
| Thursday | January 5 | Basketball game at Cushing. |
| Friday | January 6 | Basketball game at Palmer. |
| Wednesday-Friday | January 11-13 | Basketball tournament at Central City. |
| Wednesday | January 18 | Model cars put on exhibit at bank. |
| Friday | January 27 | Basketball game at Palmer. |
| Tuesday-Wednesday | Jan. 31-Feb. 1 | Sophomore Class play, "Penny Steps Out" |
| Wednesday | February 8 | Junior-Senior Banquet |
| Tuesday | February 14 | Basketball game with Monroe at C. C. |
| Thursday | February 23 | "Penny Steps Out" presented in C. C. |
| Sunday | May 7 | Baccalaureate |
| Thursday | May 11 | Commencement |
| Friday | May 12 | Picnic |

Schedule, 1949-50

| | Mr. Zichek | Mrs. Bass |
|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Time | Subject | |
| 9:00-9:45 | Office | Assembly |
| 9:45-10:30 | English 9-10 | Geometry II |
| 10:30-11:15 | Business Training 9-12 | Assembly |
| 11:15-12:00 | American History 11-12 | Algebra 9-10 |
| 12:00-1:00 | NOON HOUR | |
| 1:00-1:45 | English 11-12 | World Geography 9-10 |
| 1:45-2:30 | Typing 11-12 (T-Th) | Assembly |
| 2:30-3:15 | Civic Problems 11-12 | General Science 9-10 |
| 3:15-4:00 | Typing 11-12 (T-Th) | Assembly |
| | Shop 9-12 (Monday-Wednesday) | |
| | Athletics All (Friday) | |

Each Wednesday morning we sang from 9:00 to 9:45.

Bill: "I would like a book, please."

Mrs. Bass: "Something light?"

Bill: "That doesn't matter--I have my car with me."

Mr. Zichek: "Correct this sentence: 'Before any damage could be done, the fire was put out by the volunteer fire department.'"

Jim: "The fire was put out before any damage could be done by the volunteer fire department."

Roger: "What kind of dog is that, Keith?"

Keith: "Police dog."

Roger: "Doesn't look like one."

Keith: "No, he's in the secret service."

Merle: "Don't be selfish. Let Ralph use your sled half of the time."

Glenn: "I do. I have it going down the hill, and he has it coming up."

Alice: "Are you taking the medicine regularly?"

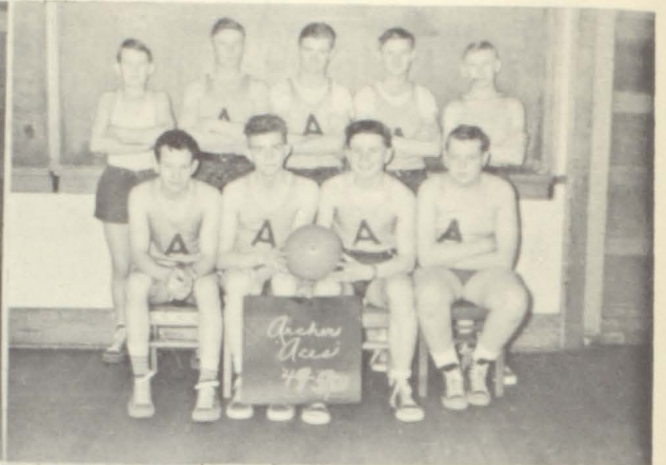
Jessie: "I tasted it and decided I'd rather have the cough."



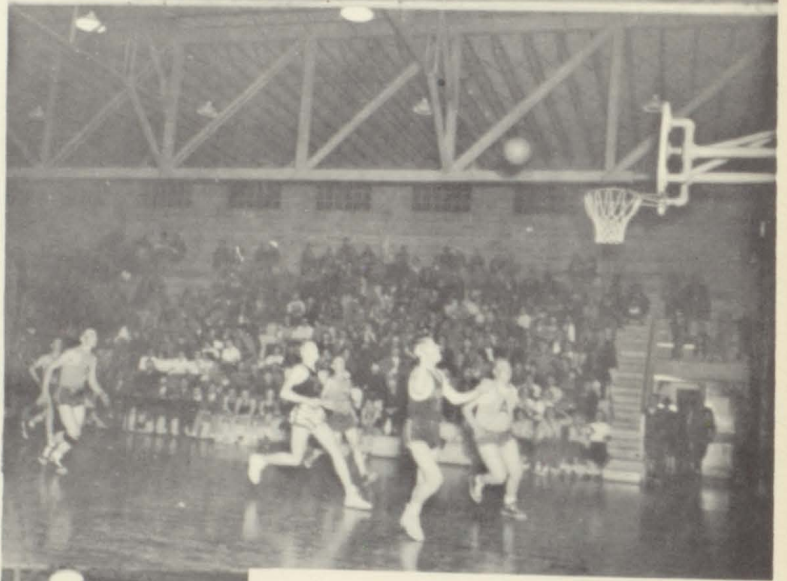
ATHLETICS



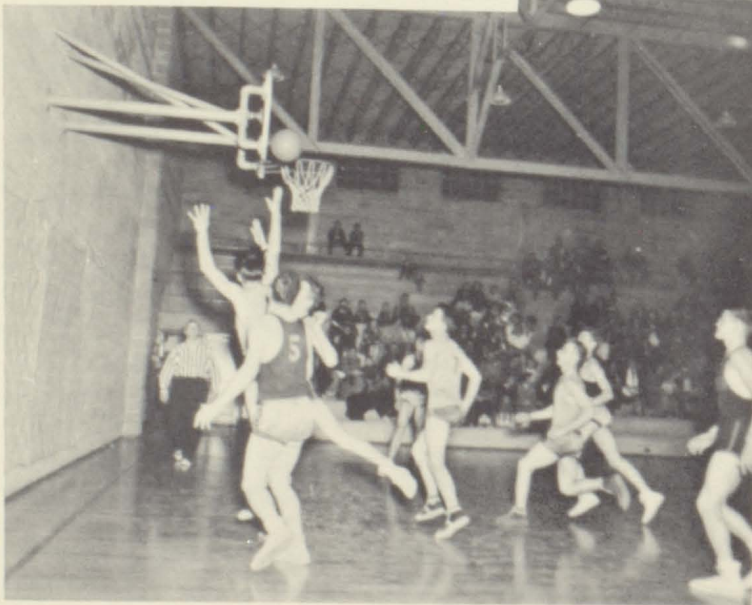
Moore; Schwarz; Bass; Bannister; B. Luebbe;
K. Luebbe; Van Pelt; Foulk; Weller



Our "gymnasium" - the outdoor court.



Scenes from the Archer-Palmer game at
the Merrick County Tournament.



After a practice.

Aces' Sports Review

The Archer Aces played their first game of the 1949-50 season on Thursday afternoon, November 3, on our own open court. Cushing journeyed to Archer to play the Aces and they were a fighting squad, running over the Aces to the tune of 52-13. Schwarz was our high point man with 10 points. On the fourteenth of the month they went to Chapman and played the Chapman Reserve quintet on their floor. A close game which was tied 14-14 and required an overtime period to decide the victor was the result. Fortunately for the Chapman Reserves they made 3 points in the overtime period and won the game 17-14. The next game was another Chapman game but with the first team quintet on November 18. The score, 38-21, was in Chapman's favor. Schwarz and Luebbe tied for high point men in the Chapman Reserve game with 5 points each, while Moore was high point man with 10 points in the Chapman first team line-up. On December 8, we traveled to Monroe and played the Monroe team. Again we were defeated with a score of 43-21. Schwarz was high point man again with 10 points. On December 20, we went to Palmer to suffer defeat again--this time 34 to 23. 11 points were piled up by Schwarz to make him high point man once more. Following the Christmas vacation we went to Cushing on January 5 to play them a return game on their floor. Again the Aces saw defeat--62 to 14. Moore, Foulk, and Schwarz each made 4 points apiece to make a 3 way tie for high point man. The next evening, January 6, we went back to Palmer, but again Palmer defeated the Aces 41-22. 11 points were piled up by Schwarz again to make him high point man.

The Aces drew the opening game of the Merrick County Tournament on Wednesday, January 11, at Central City when their opponents were the Palmer Reserves. The Aces put up a strong fight holding the Tigers to a tie in the first quarter, but due to fouls on the part of the Aces and plenty of substitution on the part of the Tigers to relieve them, the score resulted in a loss for the Aces. Final score 34-18. Moore was high point man with 7 points. On Friday, January 27, the Aces again traveled to Palmer to play the Tigers once again. However, Jim Moore had met up with an accident in the pig pen on their farm and was in the Coolidge Hospital in Palmer, so he was unable to play. This handicapped the Aces considerably, and the resulting score was 34-17, in the Tiger's favor. The closing game of the season was played on St. Valentine's Day, February 14, with the Monroe quintet from the Monroe High School at the Central City gymnasium at 6:30. The Aces again were handicapped by the loss of Moore, and were trounced by Monroe. The score resulted in a loss to the tune of 53 to 13. Schwarz was high point man once more with a total of eight points.

The Aces wish to thank Cleon Schwarz and Roy Sinsel for their assistance as coaches during this season of 1949-50.

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Wise cracks by Jessie:

Jim: "You can't tell people where to go."

Jessie: "No, but I sure would like to."

Mrs. Stalker: "Mary says she might as well spend her money as she can't take it with her."

Jessie: "Yes, but she surely does try hard."

Jim: "That's a queer pair of socks you have on. One red and one green."

Merle: "Yes, I have another pair just like it at home."



ACTIVITIES



Dramatic Section

The first dramatic production of the year was a three-act comedy, "One Minute of Twelve". Each of the freshmen had parts, so this was counted the freshman class play. It was given for athletic benefit. Ten characters made up the play. October 12 and 13, Wednesday and Thursday, were the dates of presentation. \$50.00 was cleared.

The next month on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 29 and 30, the juniors presented their annual production. It was a 3-act mystery farce, "The Ghost Chaser". The audience gave this play a royal reception. Seven characters of the junior and senior classes made up the cast. \$49.60 was the net proceeds. It was divided four ways, one-fourth to each class for school activities.

Tuesday and Wednesday, January 31, and February 1, the sophomore class sponsored their play, "Penny Steps Out", a three-act comedy of family life. The four freshmen came to the assistance of the four sophomores and the two classes together were the "footlighters" in this production. Though the weather was on the cold side, with 15 degrees below zero the first morning and 12 degrees below the second, yet the crowd drove through the snow and responded well, making it possible for the amount of \$48.80 to be netted to be divided four ways among the classes. As the annual went to press, plans were underway to present "Penny Steps Out" in the Christian Church of Central City, Nebraska, on February 23 on a free will offering basis. This project was to give the students experience in playing before a new audience and upon a new stage.

The senior class play still had not materialized as the annual had to go away for publication. Whether or not one would be given was not definitely decided. Three plays had been considered, but no one of them had met the approval of the English 11-12 class (which group would present the play) one hundred per cent. Boys and girls were pitted one group against the other and no decision had been made.

Whether or not the seniors present a play, our dramatic year has been very successful in every way and we wish to extend our sincere thanks to the director, Mr. Zichek, and to the community for their splendid support.

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Authentic Model Cars

One of the most interesting projects of the year was the making of the authentic model cars as a shop project. Seven cars were built to scale from blue print plans. They were all old timers. The blue prints were drawn from original autos in various museums.

On a picture page of the annual are small photos of the seven models. Each auto is labeled on the picture page and all are authentic replica models. Ralph Bass built the 1904 Oldsmobile; Bill Luebbe, the 1909 Stanley Steamer; Glenn Schwarz, the 1910 Model "T" Ford Torpedo model; Don Bannister, the 1903 Rambler (forerunner of the modern Nash auto); Merle Weller, the 1903 Model "A" Ford (first model "A" ever built); Keith Foulk, the 1911 Maxwell; and Alice Foulk and Jim Moore, the 1909 Model "T" Ford Touring car. Both Rhoda Van Pelt and Alice Foulk helped with the upholstery, etc..

As other blue prints are drawn it is the hope of the class to build more of the authentic models of various old-timers.



1. A Proposal



An Interact



1. Another Proposal



1. A Kiss



1. What Again?



2. Slim McGee

DRAMATIC SCENES FROM
1. "One Minute of
Twelve
2. "The Ghost
Chaser"



1. "Save Me, Save Me!"



2. On the Alert



2. "There He Goes!"



1. "I'll gouge your eyes out!"

Model Cars

1904 OLDSMOBILE



1909 FORD-MODEL "T"



1911 MAXWELL



1909 STANLEY STEAMER



1903 FORD-MODEL "A"



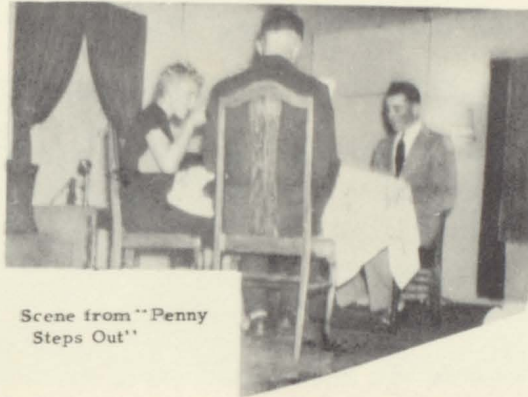
1903 RAMBLER (NASH)



1910 FORD-MODEL "T"



Rhoda as "Mrs. Gabbee"



Scene from "Penny Steps Out"



Roy (handy man)

Jessie and Rhoda



Daydreaming



Rhoda and



Prof in English class



Alice

Junior-Senior Banquet

The faculty and seniors were guests of the juniors at the annual junior-senior banquet of the Archer High School which was held February 8, at the Archer Methodist Church.

The theme of Saint Valentine's Day was carried out through table decorations and the menu. The center of the table was decorated by cupid with his bow and arrow against a background of a delicate pink-red cyclamen. Red and white streamers overhead complemented the colors of the table.

The menu consisted of cupid's nectar, cocktail; heart's desire, jello salad, cupid's bow and arrow, celery and pickles; white velvet and lace, potatoes and gravy, golden words, scalloped corn; bleeding heart, roast beef; lover-be-mine, coffee; frozen dew, ice cream; and sweetheart's food, cupcakes.

For entertainment the class will, prophecy, and history were read. The juniors then entertained their guests by taking them to the show, "White Heat", in Central City.

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Don: "You know, lots of girls don't like to date."

Ruth: "How do you know?"

Don: "I've asked them."

Shirley: "Do you know what a tick is?"

Rhoda: "Of course, my clock is full of them."

Jerry: "If I had a million dollars, do you know where I'd be?"

Joanne: "Yes, on our honeymoon."

Barbara: "I'd like to get some alligator shoes."

Patsy: "What size does your alligator wear?"

Mrs. Bass: "You said this blanket is all wool, and yet it is plainly marked cotton."

Ralph: "Well, we marked it that way to fool the moths."

Bill: "Shall I install a loud or soft horn?"

Jim: "Do you have one with a sneer?"

Keith: "Did you hear about the fish that had the measles?"

Patsy: "No, how's he doing?"

Keith: "Pretty well. He just has them on a small scale."

Rhoda: "This party is terribly dull. I think I'll go home."

Alice: "I'm sure that would remove some of the dullness."

Jessie: "The two things I can cook best are apple dumplings and meat loaf."

Don: "Which one is this?"



Banquet (Junior.-Senior)



Banquet (taken from reverse end of table)



Roy Sinsel (coach and referee)



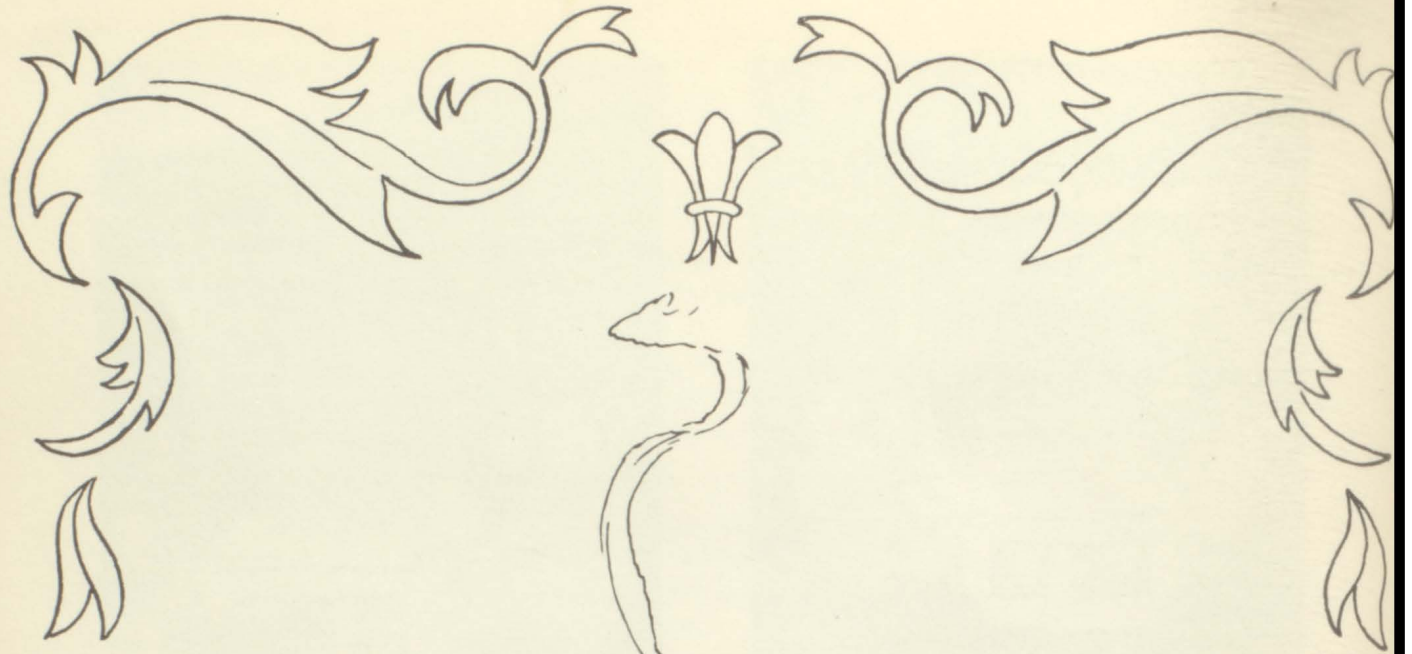
Prof. (acting as umpire)



Surprise Flash (behind scenes)



Banquet Table



SCHOOL FUN



Parties

A farewell party was held in honor of Barbara Stalker on Thursday, September 1. We all met at the school house and played games outdoors for awhile. Then Mr. Zichek suggested that we go in and play "murder". We played that for about 45 minutes, following which we went upstairs and ate lunch. The lunch consisted of potato chips, pop, and ice cream bars. After the lunch the school presented Barbara with a small token of friendship. The party broke up about 10 o'clock.

Incidentally, she rejoined us November 28, following the Thanksgiving holidays.

September 7th: What a day for 3 freshman girls and a freshie boy. It was initiation party. However, after much fun and lots of watermelon, Keith Foulk highlighted the party by stunt "face-walking" on the gravel road south of Archer. After a trip to Central City to the doctor, the party broke up to find a new boy in school the following day--one with a false face.

Tuesday evening, October 25, the juniors and seniors joined forces to give the school a hayrack-ride party. It was cold weather for a long ride through the sandhills, but everyone turned out in fine style and rode under blankets and tarpaulins. When the camp fire was blazing brightly, hot dogs and pop were slipping down easily, and stories were being told wildly, then it was that the party was at its height; but all good things end too soon, and Archer-bound the group endured the cold and the high opera notes of two senior girls until the village "loomed up" and the party was at an end.

On the Friday afternoon before vacation began, Mrs. Bass and Mr. Zichek played hosts to the annual Christmas party and Buren Wells played his Christmas role, also--that of being our chief entertainer.

Everyone enjoyed the pictures, the gift exchange, and the lunch of pop and pumpkin pie, leaving in a holiday mood for vacation days.

At the time that the annual had to go to press, there still remained two parties to be given. Neither the sophomore class nor the freshman class had given their parties, but their promises are as good as gold and we know that they will be given. We shall remember them without the aid of the annual to jog our memories.

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Barbara: "Would you like to go to the carnival and ride on the merry-go-round?"

Shirley: "I don't mind if it would amuse you?"

Dentist to Merle: "You needn't open your mouth any wider. When I pull teeth I stand on the outside."

Roger: "Did you hear about the fight at my house?"

Glenn: "No."

Roger: "My cat licked his paw."

Ruth: "Why is a stick of candy like a race horse?"

Mr. Zichek: "I don't know. Why?"

Ruth: "The more you lick it, the faster it goes."

Glenn: "Haven't I shaved you before?"

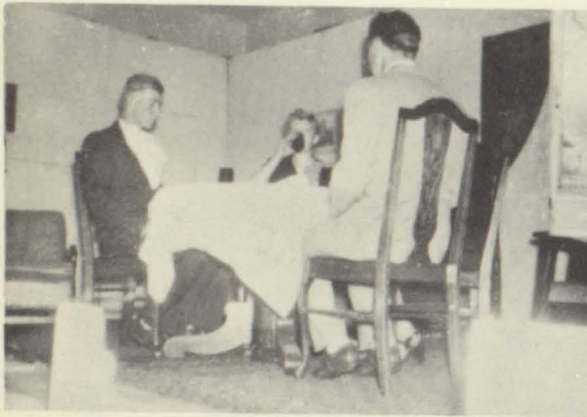
Bill: "No, I got that scar in France."



"Love"



Are you hiding, Merle?



Scene from "Penny Steps Out"



Alice

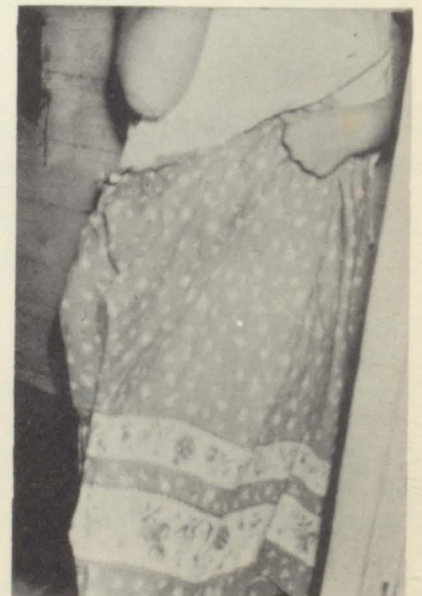
Jessie



Where's the tail, Monkey?



Scorekeeper



In a predickymen!

Favorite Pastime

Jim: Arousing Rhoda's ire.

Rhoda: Waiting for Orval to come to school each day.

Alice: Playing opposite Jim in plays.

Ralph: Writing Bill's love letters.

Jessie: Raising geraniums.

Don: Teaching others to dance - quickly and nimbly.

Keith: Playing solitaire and losing.

Barbara: Waiting for telephone calls from Jim.

Shirley: Looking for a letter from Iowa.

Roger: Running into things with his model "A".

Glenn: Going to Palmer as a stand-in for Don B.

Merle: Getting stuck in the snow.

Ruth: Beating Patricia in checkers.

Patricia: Trying to catch Keith.

Joanne: The bowling alley.

Bill: Allison Rice

Mrs. Bass: Making trips to North Platte.

Mr. Zichek: Overlooking pin-up calendars.

FRESHMAN PARTY

Hold everything! Just in time to catch the news before the annual is sent away. The Freshmen are slinging a party! February 21 (Tuesday evening, to be exact) is the date. A theater party at that! "Bride for Sale" with Claudette Colbert and Robert Young with George Brent. Do we have to send the second invitation? No! Everyone will be there. Guess there'll be lunch afterward, too. Generosity! Well, they have more of it than some classes we know.

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Democracy is a system under which a fellow who didn't vote can spend the rest of the year kicking about the official the other fellows elected.



1. Wednesday morning
2. Monkey
3. Whistle
4. Listen
5. Pep Club
- 6-8. Freshman initiation
9. Caught!
10. Prof.
11. Cough-cough!



Jokes

Father Jim Moore: (reading from newspaper) "Over five thousand alligators go each year to make wallets."

Ruthie: "Isn't it wonderful that they can be trained to do that?"

Barbara: "They say thin people may have one-half pint of water in them; a medium-sized person may have a pint of water in them; and a large person may have a pint and a half in them."

Jessie: "Shake hands with Boulder Dam."

Mrs. Luebbe: "My son has so many original ideas."

Mrs. Bass: "Yes, especially in math."

Glenn: (to his mother) "Did you hear that Ralph Bass was electrocuted this afternoon?"

Mrs. Schwarz: "Oh, no! How did it happen?"

Glenn: "He sat on a fruit cake and the currant got him."

Sign in front of apartment 1: "Piano for sale."

Sign in front of apartment 2: "Hurrah!"

"Fill her up," said the absent minded professor as he took his wife to the restaurant.

Rhoda (driving the Model "A"): "I turned the way I signaled."

Orval (looking at his dented Buick): "Yes, I know! That's what confused me."

Keith: "He cleaned up a fortune with crooked dough."

Merle: "A gangster?"

Keith: "No, a pretzel manufacturer."

Doyle: "Dad, the barometer has fallen."

Mr. Stalker: "Very much?"

Doyle: "About six feet--it's broken."

Dorothy Zichek: "I made a terrible mistake this morning. I gave my husband a dish of Lux flakes instead of corn flakes."

A friend: "My dear, was he angry?"

Dorothy: "Angry! He foamed at the mouth!"

Mrs. Blauhorn had just finished telling her class about Julius Caesar and his war against the Goths. She asked if there were any questions. "Which side were the Americans on?"

Kenny Luebbe asked.

Jim: "What would you advise that I read when I graduate?"

Mr. Zichek: "The help wanted columns."

Don Bannister: "I don't know which girl to take to the game."

Roger: "Why don't you flip a coin?"

Don: "I did but it didn't come out right."

Miss Boelts: "Why don't you answer me?"

Virginia: "I did, I shook my head."

Miss Boelts: "You don't expect me to hear it rattle way up here, do you?"



1. Enjoying it, Joanne?



2. 26 degrees below zero.



3. Thinking, Alice?



4. Why the garb, Bill?



5. Another Freshie.



6. Still Another.



7. Pep Club



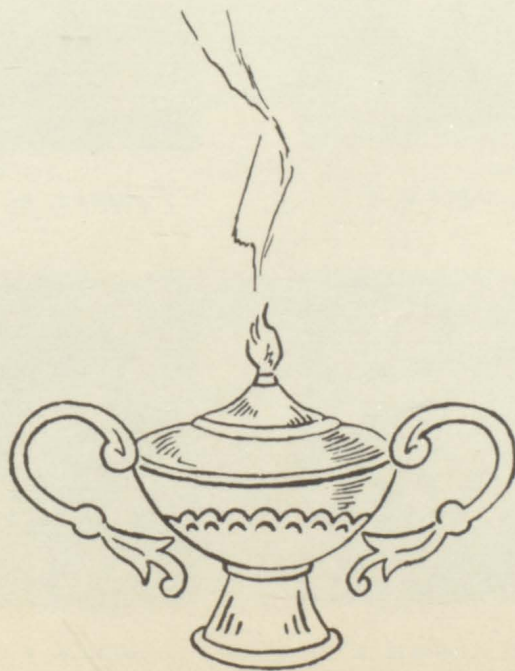
8. Rose (in a hurry!)



9. All the green Freshies!



GRADES





MARILYN M. 8



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ROGER L. B



PAUL B. B

Primary Room News

School opened August 26, 1949, with fifteen pupils in our room. Paul Bonness, Dennis Moore and Roger Luebbe were the beginners. On October 31, Georgetta Olsen joined the beginner class. Peggy Sinsel, Karen Ford, Paul Moore, Larry Eckles, and Johnny Miller in the first grade. Gary Ferguson was our only second grader. Virginia Sinsel, Connie Jo Miller, Jo Ann Christiansen and Stanley Moore were the third graders and Nancy Jo Hansen and Laree Ferguson made up the fourth grade.

We enjoyed two days of vacation on October 27 and 28 while the teachers attended State Teachers' Convention.

On October 31, we had our first party. After playing several Halloween games, our teacher presented us with lunch, favors, and noise makers.

On November 22, we gave our Thanksgiving program with the grammar room. Our part in the program consisted of songs, dialogues, and a pageant of the pilgrim's journeys and the first Thanksgiving.

We had our second vacation on November 24 and 25, this being Thanksgiving.

On December 23, we entertained the grammar room and high school with a short Christmas program. Following the program we exchanged gifts.

From December 23 until January 2, we all enjoyed a week of vacation.

Our Valentine party was held on February 14. Each one received their valentines from individual mail boxes which we had made.

In April, we had our usual Easter party. Miss Boelts treated us with candy eggs.

Grammar Room

School opened August 26 with all students present and anxious to enter the work of a new year. On September 2, we held a farewell party for Doyle Stalker who was moving to Kansas. The photographer came in October. Several weeks passed before we received our finished pictures. The grade school rhythm band played between acts of a high school play presented on the nights of October 12 and 13.

Tuesday evening, October 25, brought our annual Halloween party. We came to the schoolhouse dressed in ragged or patched clothes because we were having a tramp party. We had a tramp style parade and then voted to select the persons having the best costumes. Stanley Sinsel and Nancy Moore proved to be the winners. Mrs. Blauhorn gave each of them a prize. Our entertainment consisted of games, fortune telling, stunts, and bobbing for apples. Later Mrs. Blauhorn served lunch and provided us with favors and noise makers.

November brought many days of practicing for our Thanksgiving program. It was given on November 22, in the town hall. Recitations, plays, songs, a pageant and other numbers were included. Lunch and a social period followed the program. We were happy to have Doyle Stalker return to Archer at Thanksgiving time.

The first week in December found our room decorated for the Christmas season. Doyle Stalker and Kenneth Luebbe decorated our tree. We drew names and then began to count the days until our party. On the afternoon of December 23, we played games and exchanged Christmas gifts.

Pupils meeting the age requirement went to Central City on January 11 to get chest X-rays.

Carol Hansen and Patty Luebbe made our Valentine box. We had our party on February 14. The Easter rabbit kept his date with us on the Friday before Easter.

Final examinations and the picnic completed our schedule for the year.



1. Grammar Room Girls



2. No. 1 Ditto



3. Elementary Basketball Star



4. No. 3 Ditto



5. Valentine
Post Office



6. Ruffians



7. Doyle (from the
sunflower state)



8. Grammar Room Boys



9. Grammar Room Complete



10. Grammar Room Boys

11. Shannon Elaine Zichek



--Prof's daughter



12. Carol's little sister



14. Grandpa and Grandma



13. The school's little neighbor



Primary Room Boys



Second Grade

Primary Room



Primary Room Girls



In the Program



Beginners



Primary Room Boys



3rd and 4th Grade Girls



Fourth Grade



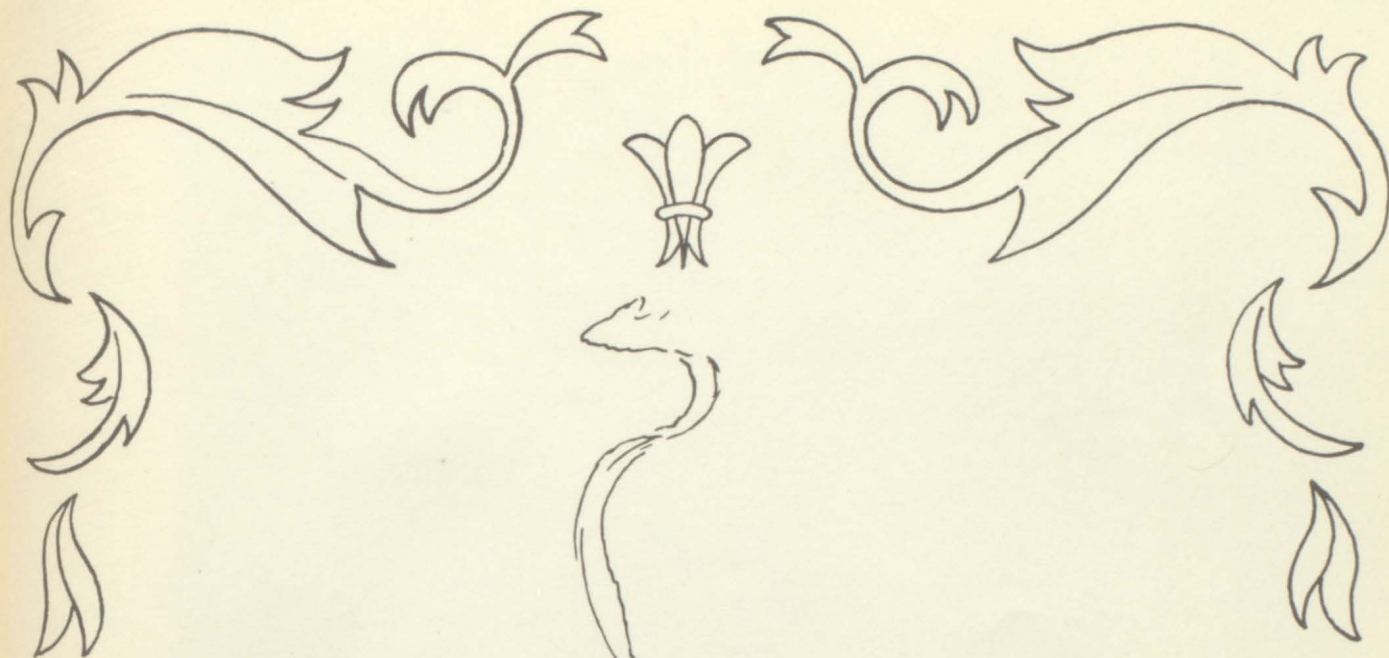
First Grade



Peggy



Third Grade

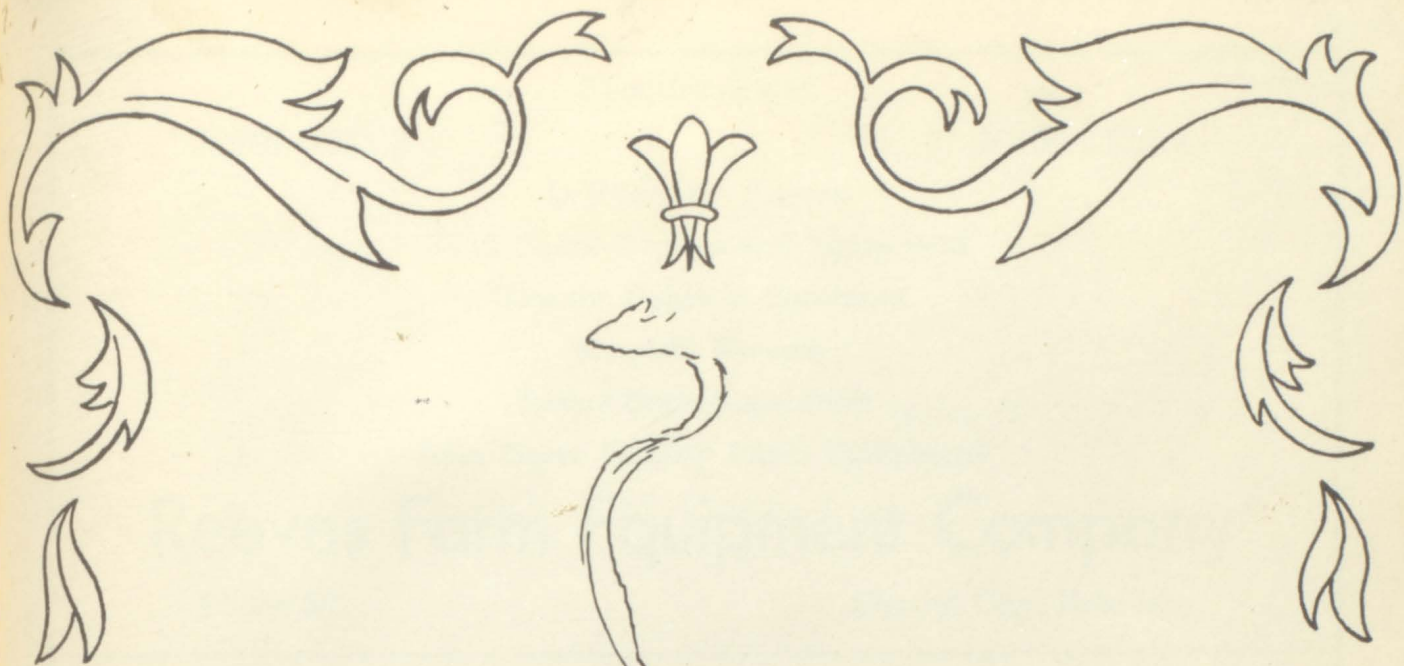


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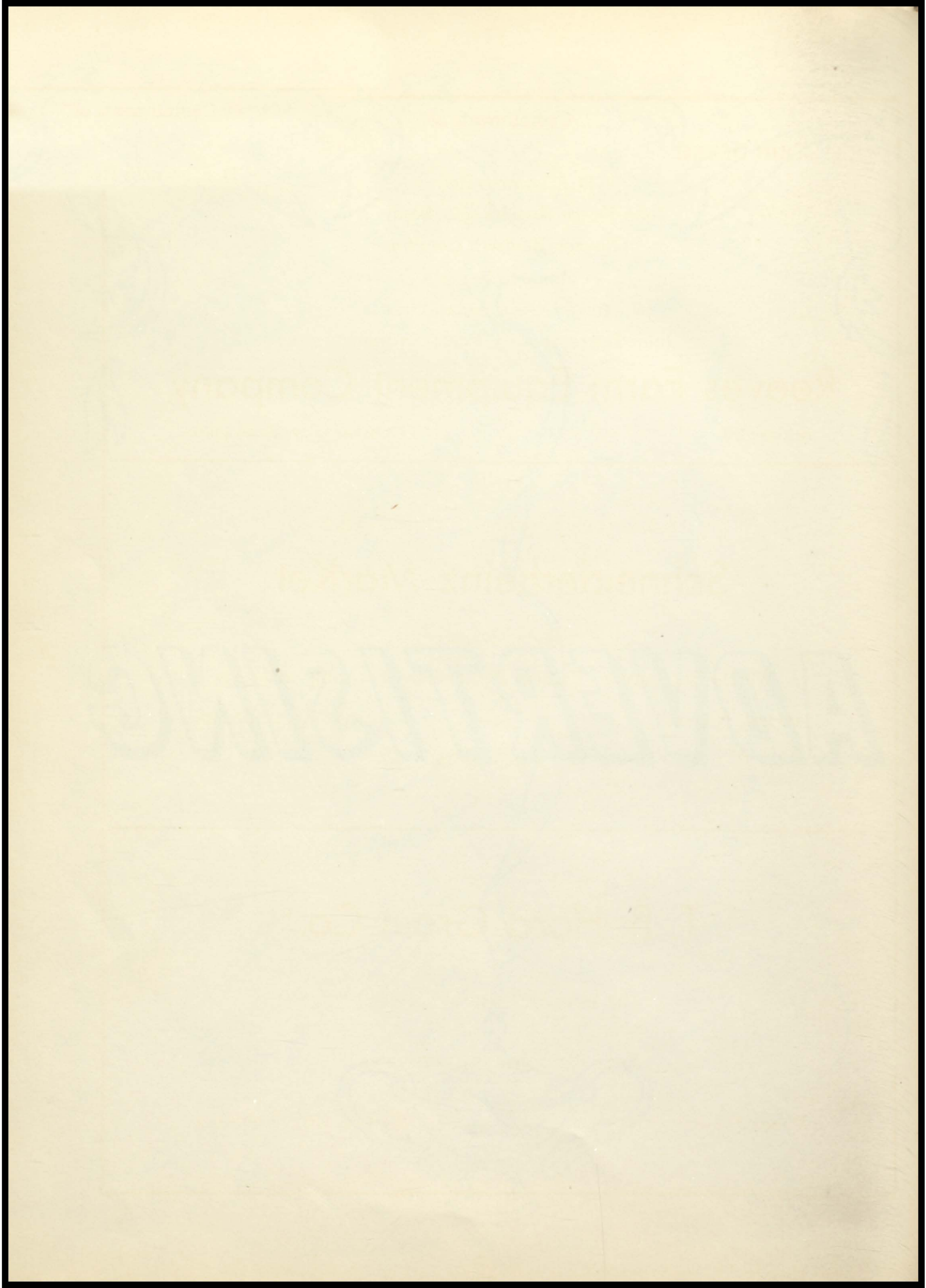
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